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Sir:

Applicants submit herewith a reference of which they are aware, which they believe may be material to the examination of this application and in respect of which they may have a duty to disclose in accordance with 37 CFR 1.56.

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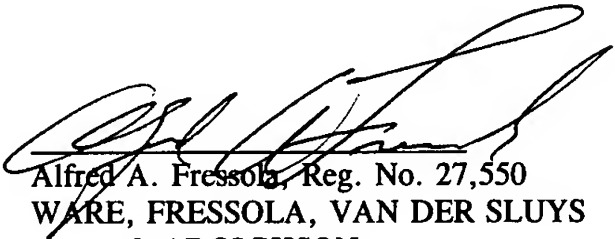
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The reference is cited on page 1 of the specification and the relevance of this reference is set forth in the specification, as noted. A PTO 1449 listing the cited reference is also enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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